

REMARKS

The foregoing claim is supported by the Second Supplemental Declaration that is submitted with this Preliminary Amendment. Claim 23 has been copied from Claim 2 of U.S. Patent No. 5,505,810 and is being added to preserve the Applicants' rights under 35 USC § 135(b). Entry of the foregoing amendment is requested prior to initial examination.

Respectfully submitted,



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